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## REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

State Nominating Convention—Parkers-  
burg, July 22.

Fourth District Congressional Con-  
vention—Parkersburg, July 21.

First District Congressional Convention  
—Clarksburg, July 21.

## Notice to Republican Clubs of W. Va.

It is important that you send the name  
of your club, together with the number of  
members and names of officers, to the  
secretary of the State League, at Wheel-  
ing, immediately.

By order of C. D. ELLIOTT,  
President.

JOHN W. KINDELBERGER,  
Secretary.

(Republican papers please copy and  
notice.)

## OFFICIAL CALL

For the First District Republican Con-  
gressional Convention.

The Republican voters of the First Con-  
gressional District are hereby notified that  
a Convention for the purpose of nomi-  
nating a candidate to represent the said  
District in the Congress of the United  
States will be held at Clarksburg, W. Va.,  
Tuesday, July 21, 1896, beginning at 11  
o'clock a. m.

The basis of representation will be one  
vote for every one hundred votes cast for  
Congressman Davenport in 1894, and one  
every fraction of one hundred over fifty.  
County committees are requested to pro-  
vide for the selection of delegates to said  
Convention.

H. C. RICHARDS, Chairman.

## NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President,  
WILLIAM M. KINLEY,  
of Ohio.

For Vice President,  
GARRET A. HOBART,  
of New Jersey.

## FIVE POINTS ON MONEY.

First—That there is not a free coinage  
country in the world to-day that is not on  
a silver basis.

Second—That there is not a gold-stand-  
ard country in the world to-day that does  
not use silver as money along with gold.

Third—That there is not a silver-stand-  
ard country in the world to-day that uses  
any gold as money along with silver.

Fourth—That there is not a silver stand-  
ard country in the world to-day that has  
more than one-third as much money in  
circulation per capita as the United States  
has; and

Fifth—That there is not a silver stand-  
ard country in the world to-day where the  
laboring man receives fair pay for his  
work.—John G. Carlisle, Secretary of  
the Treasury.

## The Latest Fulton Prize Fight.

The law of West Virginia prohibits  
prize fights. The penalty for disobeying  
this law is severe. After the declaration  
of the sheriff of Ohio county that he in-  
tended to do his duty and enforce the  
law there was reason to suppose that for  
the present at least there was an end of  
prize fights in this county. But it seems  
that some men with a taste for that  
kind of diversion arranged a set-to be-  
tween two fourteen-year-old boys and  
had it in the Fulton arena.

Sheriff Franzheim has very promptly  
and very properly gone after the back-  
ers of these boys. The men are the re-  
sponsible parties, not the boys. The one  
question is whether the mill was a prize  
fight within the meaning of the law and  
whether the connection of the men with  
the fight can be established. Both of  
these questions can be answered by a  
trial.

If Fulton wants these so-called sports  
let it be understood that Fulton is in  
Ohio county, whose public sentiment is  
against them; and that Ohio county is  
in West Virginia, whose law is against  
them; and that if the fights cannot be  
stopped in any other way everybody  
who has anything to do with them will  
be taken in hand and given a chance to  
pay the full penalty. A few vigorous  
does will cure the prize fight habit in  
Ohio county.

Mr. Platt predicts victory, urges his  
friends to help and altogether sounds a  
high note of harmony. There are no  
Republicans opposing their ticket this  
year. The ranks are closed up and  
moving on the enemy.

## Down in Guatemala.

There is a pretty case of kidnapping  
Louisiana negroes to work on a railroad  
in Guatemala. To be sure, they are  
promised \$2 a day, and if they get it they  
will have 70 cents. The Guatemalan  
dollar is worth 25 cents. Which sug-  
gests that if Mr. Teller and his Tail-  
enders want a cheap dollar—so cheap  
that men have to be kidnapped to make  
them come and get it—Guatemala is not  
far off and is easy reached.

Another thought in connection with  
this business is that the railroad on  
which these American citizens are put  
to work is virtually a government affair.  
Has our own government nothing to say  
about this treatment of American citi-  
zens? Somebody should send the ad-  
ministration an American flag with a  
key to cipher out its meaning.

Governor Altgeld says he is physically  
unable to lead in another state cam-  
paign. He is mistaken. A man of his  
sort is just the sort of man to run on  
the sort of platform his party has made  
in its state and is likely to make for its  
presidential nominee. Let the Altgelds

stick to it and go through to the end.  
Then the Democratic party, if it be still  
in the land of the living, may have some  
use for the other kind of men.

Since the St. Louis convention busi-  
ness men are reporting a better outlook  
based on greater confidence. The confi-  
dence is in the success of the party that  
is sound on every question. That is the  
Republican party. If the country  
thought the Democratic party in danger  
of winning there would be no confidence  
in better conditions. The country is  
now intimately acquainted with the  
Democratic party.

If Mr. Whitney goes to Chicago with  
enough salt peter he may save his party.  
But can all the railroads that run be-  
tween New York and Chicago carry  
enough of that saving grace between  
now and the convention time? And is  
there enough of it in the world to do the  
work?

The Democrats of Ohio and Illinois  
who control conventions are stark mad  
on the free coinage question. Just now  
they are having the things all their own  
way. Another day is coming, and then  
the same men of their party will have  
their way.

There is an awful apprehension that  
Senator J. Donald Cameron, of Penn-  
sylvania, may support one of the free  
silver tickets. Still it is highly probable  
that the electoral vote of Pennsylvania  
will be cast for McKinley and Hobart.

Mr. Quay says that Major McKinley  
is his party's choice. This is the way it  
has looked for several months.

## OPENED HIS EYES.

A Wheeling Democrat Downed by an Ob-  
ject Lesson and is Now a Republican.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer.

SIR:—As I was looking over some pa-  
pers I received from London, England,  
a few days ago, I ran across the en-  
closed article in the Pottery Gazette.  
one of the leading trade papers in Eng-  
land. It opened my eyes, as it should  
open the eyes of every man who stands  
for America.

I realized for the first time that I had  
been a thick-headed Democrat—too  
thick-headed, in fact, to understand  
the protection argument. When I read  
this item in the English Pottery Gaz-  
ette, however, it came to me as an ob-  
ject lesson and dawned me. From this  
time on I am a Republican. Please pub-  
lish the item referred to, so that others  
may also have their eyes opened.

A. POTTER.

Wheeling, W. Va., June 23.

The following is the article from the  
Pottery Gazette, of London, referred to  
in the above letter. It is indeed an  
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Try the Sunlight way of washing clothes, without  
rubbing, boiling, without injuring the finest fabric.

## Try Sunlight Soap

Don't let another wash day go by without using it.  
You'll find it will do what no other soap can do, and  
it will please you in every way.

Lozier Bros., Ltd., Hudson and Harrison Sts., New York.

## A BIG DEAL.

John T. McGraw, of Grafton, the Pur-  
chaser of the Holly River Lumber Com-  
pany's Property.

The Northwestern Lumberman, of  
Chicago, under date of June 20, says:

"The mills, railroad and lands, em-  
bracing 16,000 acres, belonging to the  
Holly River Lumber Company, of Pal-  
mer, W. Va., were sold June 10, at re-  
ceiver's sale to John T. McGraw, of  
Grafton, W. Va. The terms of sale  
were \$47,750 cash, and the assumption of  
bills and mortgages aggregating \$125,000.  
This is said to be a very low figure  
proportioned to the extent and  
character of the timber and coal lands  
involved and marks the present as a  
bad time for forced sales of industrial  
properties."

McGraw is reputed the largest in-  
dividual real estate owner in West Vir-  
ginia. The railroad acquired through  
this latest deal will be operated as a  
common carrier, but the owner will do  
nothing with the lumbering side of  
the estate, and that may therefore be  
counted out of the popular producing  
column until the arrival of better times  
at least.

## The St. Louis Platform.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer.

SIR:—When Hon. Chauncey M. Depew  
of New York, wired to Major McKin-  
ley that he had attended many national  
Republican conventions, but had never  
attended one in which he was better  
pleased with the ticket and platform  
than the St. Louis one just closed, he  
might have added that it was one of  
the best conventions of the Republican  
party since its inception.

Its principles are unequivocal and  
will restore confidence abroad and  
at home. Senator Hoar, of Massachu-  
setts, who was in Paris at the time of  
the convention made the statement that  
the French bourse was taking unusual  
interest in the currency plank. It was  
all that could be desired.

And it is a safe prediction that at the  
polls next November it will receive a  
vindication by the American people.

The re-instatement of reciprocity  
treaties and protective duties will en-  
able the American manufacturer to  
supply steel rails for American rail-  
ways, and pay decent wages to labor.

T. T. MAXWELL.

Valley Grove, June 23.

## JUNE JOLLIES.

Watts—Wonder if the water is fit to  
drink yet. Potts—Guess it is. An ad-  
came through the hydrant this morning  
and it seemed to be in good health.—In-  
dianapolis Journal.

Wheeler—What's Bloomer stopped for?  
Spricket—To get his second wind.  
"Why, he's pumping up his tire." "Yes;  
that's what I meant. He pumped them  
up before we started, you know."—  
Yonkers Statesman.

Merchant—You say you are an or-  
phan? Applicant for Position—Yes; I  
haven't a living relative. Merchant—  
Well, I'll take you. I ought to get a  
lot of work out of you during the base  
ball season.—Philadelphia Record.

"I guess the decorations at Chicago  
will be splendid," said young Mrs.  
Torkins. "It's likely that they will be  
unusually fine." "I'm sure they will if  
Mr. Carmine has anything to do with  
them." "I hadn't heard that he has."  
"Why, how forgetful you are! I over-  
heard him telling you that he had made  
arrangements to paint the town."—  
Washington Star.

Miss Brisk—And may I ask your ob-  
jection to me as a daughter-in-law?  
Mamma Paleford—Certainly. My son  
is so young and unsophisticated and  
your manifest advantage over him in  
years.—Miss Brisk—My what? Why,  
I wouldn't marry into your old family  
if you had a bank account a foot long!  
My dear, indeed! And mamma broadly  
smiles.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The highwayman had followed her  
from town. He had observed the pocket-  
book which she held in her hand. It  
was fat, even as a plump partridge.  
She was returning from the city and  
he bided his opportunity. It was dusk.  
A lonely part of the road was reached.  
He sprang forward, snatched the pocket-  
book from her hand, and disappeared.  
He wended his way back to town. Glad-  
fully he sought his attic room. "I shall  
dine well to-night," he said. And he  
opened the purse and swooned. It was  
fat with samples!—Harper's Bazar.

Why He was Glad.  
The corner was dark.  
And I couldn't resist her;  
The music was sweet, and I stealthily  
went to the door.  
Great Scott! I then saw she was only my  
sister!  
But she seemed to regard it still just as a  
corner was dark.

And, therefore, I'm glad that the corner  
was dark.

—Cleveland Leader.

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